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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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In response to the office action of 7/31/02, the following is presented:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please add the following new claims:

16. A method of transferring information in units over a wireless digital communications link between a transmitting station and a receiving station, the method comprising:

- transmitting first information units at a first power level;
- monitoring if correct reception of the transmitted units occurred; and
- transmitting second information units associated the first information units, for those first information units for which monitoring did not indicate correct reception